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**AMENDMENT**

To Whom It May Concern:

In response to the Office Action of November 6, 2006, the shortened statutory period for response to which ends on February 6, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the list of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are described on page 9 of this paper. Both a replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes are attached at the end of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.